

203 AD.

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Triumphal Arch of Septimius
Severus marked the beginning
of decline in Roman Art

203

Arch of Septimus Severus
also
ORIGEN

Fall and execution of
Plautianus: who is
succeeded as prefect
by the lawyer Papinian.
Development of the legal
doctrine of Autocracy.

Perpetua, a young married woman was arrested in Carthage in 203. With her was Felicity, a pregnant slave girl, and other CATECHUMENS. They were baptized while under arrest and refused to renounce their faith. The wild beasts of the amphitheater failed to kill the women so they were beheaded.

the feast of these martyrs is
mar. 7

Arch of Septimus Severus
was erected.
(northwest end of Forum)

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The triumphal arch in the Forum
at Rome was erected by the Senate
in 203 to celebrate Severus's Parthian
victories

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ORIGEN of Alexandria

Taught and wrote during 1st half of IIIrd Cen
pg 65 = "Against Celsus" | Born Egypt of Christian^{c185}
pg 88 } Parents, Pupil of PANTAE^NUS & CLEMENT
120-123 } At age 18 ($185 + 18 = 203$) he become
+28 } unofficial head of the Catechetical School
+34 } 215! Left Alexandria
+35 } Returned & become head of the School. He
155 } soon become internationally famous:
121, 140 } his advice & presence sought by Prelates

& laymen far & wide. Ammonius Saccas
(Saccas) counted Origen as his friend

Severus toured North
African provinces

203 ~ 204

ELAGABALUS was born at
Emesa in Syria as
VARIUS AVISTUS BASSIANUS
the grandson of JULIA MAESA, younger
sister of JULIA DOMNA.

His father, Sextus Varius Marcellus,
another Syrian had risen to the rank of senator
under Caracalla; but his mother put it
about that his real father was Caracalla

In truth he was only Corocalli's nephew.